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## Local News Items

We are glad to learn that Mrs. A. W. Kirkham is able to be around again after some ten days illness and we hope it won't be long before she regains her usual health and strength.

**For Sale.**— Three first class heaters, will sell cheap apply, D. G. Selman Raymond.

Mr. Chas. McCarty is back again in Raymond after an absence of some months, he having just returned from Utah where he has been looking after his business interests. Mr. McCarty is one of our most congenial citizens and we are glad to have him in our midst again.

Now is the time to have your harness repaired so when Spring opens up you will be ready to go to work. The Raymond Saddlery is in a position to handle all kinds of repair work as well as fit out with new harnesses in any style. Give them a chance and you'll come back.

**Wanted.**— To buy 80 acres of good farming land in the vicinity of Raymond on the crop payment plan apply to Raymond Leader.

George T. Wride will tender his resignation as Secy. Treas. of the town tonight at the regular session of the town council. Mr. Wride claims that his time is required at the office and not canvassing the town for electric light contracts.

**NOTICE.**— I have money to loan on improved farm property. No delay. Apply to

Chas. T. Cousins.  
Box 159 Raymond

Miss Gladys Thomas who for some months has been visiting her sister Mrs. Jno. Powelson left for her home in South this morning. Miss Thomas has been attending the Knight Academy while here and we all regret very much to see her leave our midst.

Our varied and splendid stock of Spring dry goods is now ready to be shown. All the latest in lace trimmings, dress goods and ladies furnishings can be seen at King Bros.

**SAY MRN!**— Don't let the women be the only one to have a new outfit on Easter but call at and get measured for a first class tailor made suit, made in one of the best tailoring houses in Canada. We also have some fine suits made up. Call and let us show you our samples.

King Bros.

Once more the Basket Ball Team from the Second Ward defeated the team from the First Ward. This game decides the second place which goes to the Second Ward, they having won the second high number of games. At no time during the game was the outcome dubious as the Second Warders seemed to have the play entirely in their own hands. The score was 13-24 in favor of the East Broadway Team.

**NOTICE.**— "Main Street property in Cardston for sale at reasonable figure. 69 1/2 feet frontage. Rented now for \$33.50 per month will sell 20 feet if desired. Location across street from post office. Lot is 500 feet deep. Good lively stable site, blacksmith shop or any kind of business.

Card Harris Land Co.  
Cardston.

Mr. Mark Brimhall spent several days in Bow Island and vicinity this week testing the horse market

there. It may be that Mr. Brimhall will sell one of his registered Clyde stallions in that vicinity and whoever purchases it must consider himself lucky as all Mr. Brimhall's registered stock are noted prize winners.

Those who are contemplating buying a new carpet this spring would do well to wait and see King Bros. stock of English Carpets and Rugs direct from London. The stock will be here in a few days and includes, Brussels, Axminster, Honey combed, Wilton, Oriental and almost anything in a first class stock of rugs. We buy direct from the manufacturers and so save you the middle man's profit. Give us a chance and you will feel satisfied.

The six missionaries who have been laboring in Raymond and vicinity have received an honorable release. The missionaries are: Chas. Beuhler, Earl Scoville, James S. Anderson, Clarence Alford and Bliss Roberts.

Mr. Frank Steele of Magrath the author of the article on the L. D. S. Temple that appeared in the Calgary Telegram wishes to state that it was not his statement but the publishers that Cardston was the center of the Mormon people in Southern Alberta.

Raymond invites all basketball teams and fans to come to Raymond on Mar. 11th and compete for a handsomely engraved silver cup. The drawing will take place at 3 p.m. on that date and the winners of the games in the afternoon will play at night, the winners of this game to receive the cup. This cup however must be won three times before it is owned. All interested apply to Management of Tournament.

## A Noted Visitor.

Archie McClean our M. P. P. was in Raymond on Monday making a few brief calls on a few of his many friends. We being in our friend Archie's political riding, and fences in a riding having to be maintained he was so to speak riding the fences. The honorable Archie is always a safe and sane rider and possesses undoubted judgment as to where fence repairs are most needed, and in justice be it said he is wholly impartial in his distribution of repairs or material. He was accompanied by that rising young stalwart and supporter of the Government Mr. Hjalmar Ostlund, and looking Mr. Ostlund over one recognizes in him all the prominent points of a stalwart supporter. Mr. McClean's governmental utterances were so perfectly friendly and frank that a political sensation could not be made out of a month of it. With us it is always "Welcome on the mat" for the Honorable Archie.

## The Value of

### Mixed Farming.

The Peterson Bros. of Magrath detail an interesting and profitable experience in mixed farming. One year ago last June they summer followed a good sized field, and as the weeds and other vegetation began to sprout instead of attacking the growth with machinery they turned into the field a flock of sheep. Owing to an abundance of herbage the sheep waxed fat, at the same time performing the combined Office of a packer and fertilizing

machine. The sheep were summered and wintered in the field; at Spring it was drilled too wheat with the result that a crop of forty six bushels of No. 1 wheat was harvested, and the fat mutton coupled with the crop gave the farmer a profit nearly equal to the price of the land. Brains are as valuable an asset in farming as in any other progressive or profitable avocation.

## Grain Growers Congress.

The Grain Commission will meet in Lethbridge on March 13th, and that all farmers and grain growers may be able to attend, arrangements have been made for a special rate as follows:— Purchase a single fare ticket to Lethbridge and ask the agent to give you a certificate (BE SURE TO GET THE CERTIFICATE WHEN BUYING YOUR TICKET.) Upon arrival in Lethbridge present the certificate at the Board of Trade office on the Square, near the Station, and have it signed, which will give you a return fare FREE if no certificates are presented and a return for one third fare if 25 or more are presented.

If everybody gets a certificate it assures a one way fare for the round trip.

Don't forget the fact "Thursday" March 13th, and bring your wife for whom the same rate and certificate conditions apply.

Signed,  
Leth. Board of Trade.

## The Farm Women's Institute.

At a recent meeting of the Farm Women's Institute the following officers for the coming year were installed: Mrs. Rev. Toombs, President; Mrs. W. S. Rouse, Vice Pres; Mrs. John Powelson, Secy. Treas; Mrs. D. H. Kinsey and Mrs. Geo. Kirkham, Board of Directors. The following program is to be given at the next meeting to be held in the Tithing Office, Wed. March 12th, at 3 p.m. and a special invitation is extended to all the women of Raymond.

### Program.

"Home nursing and tempting dishes for Invalids."

Mrs. W. Lamb.

"Eggs and their food value; Best methods of preparing them."

Mrs. D. H. Kinsey.

"The 20th. Century Boy."

Mrs. V. L. Tanner.

"Essay on Easter Thoughts."

Mrs. M. V. Croxall.

"Vocal Solo"

Mrs. Thos. Gould.

## Henery Smith Laid to Rest.

Funeral services over the remains of Henery Smith, who died on Saturday last, were held at the First Ward Meeting House on Tuesday. The speakers were J. G. Altred, B. S. Young and J. W. Anderson who dealt upon the kindly nature of the deceased and the place he would occupy in his new sphere of labor, under the construction put upon the Scriptures by the

Latter Day Saints. The house was filled by the friends of the family, the Raymond Band of which the deceased was a member rendering appropriate music during the procession from the home to the church. The opening prayer was offered by Elder A. Mercer of Magrath pronouncing the benediction. The loss of such a man to the community is a severe one and falls with crushing force upon the bereaved wife and six children, who survive him. His last illness has extended over a protracted period but only became serious since Christmas time. He was a good man a useful but unobtrusive citizen, a kindly friend and a loving even indulgent husband and father.

Interment was made in the Raymond Cemetery.

## The Pennant.

The "Pennant" a catchy comic opera from the pen of the noted Lehrer was presented last Saturday evening in the Knight Academy by the students. The performance reflected great credit on those having it in charge as well as on the performers themselves. The chorus work was exceptionally good and it was evident that much work had been done in order to reach the point of perfection they attained.

Mr. Will Stone as Jack Lawson the football hero sang his part well and in his love scenes, he showed a thorough understanding of the part.

Mr. D. G. Selman, Adam Peterson and Roy Anderson all interpreted their parts well and the costumes and make-up were very good.

Miss Olga Anderson as Doris Bond the heiress, was exceptionally good, singing her part with freedom and force. Miss Anderson's costumes were very pretty and many times during the piece she won applause.

The Misses Fern Redd, Ella Miller, Eva Skouson and Myrtle Glob all carried their parts in a creditable manner and did their share in making the performance the success it was. The other members of the

cast as well as the chorus fitted in nicely to their parts and all won hearty applause. The rendition of this Opera was a refreshing change from the heavier Dramas we have had of late and ought to show that we have talent in Raymond for Operatic work as well as Dramatic work. We encourage the Academy Company to take up further this excellent work which develops them in a way no other work can.

## The Musical Contest.

The Mutual Improvement Association contest consisting of vocal, instrumental and elocutionary Sections, held a week ago last Tuesday evening in the First Ward Chapel, was highly enjoyable and developing a most keen but friendly rivalry.

The spirit of the contest was admirable, everybody bowing gracefully to the judges, Mr. J. G. Harper of Lethbridge officiating in the musical events, Miss Elsie Jenkins of Raymond, as the elocutionary judge. They had some close decisions to make but their work was most conscientiously and satisfactorily performed, the contestants accepting their rulings, as all participants, in such contests should as being fair and final. The following are the awards and the order in which they were made.

1. Mixed Quartette. Raymond First Ward and Raymond Second Ward.
2. Contralto Solo. Mrs. Arthur Nilsson, Elva Heap, Fern Redd, Blanche Wadden.
3. Piano Solo. Afton Jensen, Daisy Erickson, Afton Snow.
4. Vocal Duet. Marie Skouson, Wes McMullin, Fern Redd and Will Stone.
5. Recitation. Jessie Redd, Levaun Peterson, Stella Walton, Mrs. H. Ririe.
6. Tenor Solo. Orson Bridge, Mr. Roberts, Will Stone.
7. Ladies Quartette. Stirling, Raymond First Ward, Magrath.
8. Humorous Reading. Ethelyn Young, Mamie Hindley.
9. Baritone Solo. James Walker,

Thos. Albiston.  
10. Soprano Solo. Dorothy Young, Elsie Clark.

11. Male Quartette (Humorous) Raymond Second Ward.

12. Spring Song. (Chorus) Raymond First Ward, Magrath, Raymond Second Ward. Mr. Harper in commenting on the contest said, "I was out here two years ago as an adjudicator, and I see a great improvement both in the selections and the manner of their rendition. The Chorus work in this last contest was especially good, and among the soloists too, I heard some excellent voices. These musical contests in a community are very valuable as they give young people confidence in themselves, and help to interest them in what is instructive as well as amusing, and it would be a good thing if we could do something of the kind in Lethbridge. Your elocutionists are on a par with your vocalists, as some of the recitations were really high class. I enjoyed myself too as the outing furnished me a nice little bit of recreation, and my treatment was most cordial."



## NOTICE TO STEAM ENGINEERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that examinations will be held at the under mentioned places by N. MARSHALL, a duly appointed Inspector of Steam Boilers for the Province of Alberta. RAYMOND, MARCH, 14th. Raymond Hotel. CARDSTON, MARCH, 18th. Caboon Hotel. WARDEN, MARCH, 20th. Brady's Hall at nine o'clock a.m. for the purpose of giving Engineers and Apprentices an opportunity of qualifying for Certificates under the provisions of The Boilers Act, 1912.

Persons not already registered in the Province who desire Application Forms may obtain same by applying to the Department; or the above named Inspector and such Application Form must be properly filled out, witnessed, and declared to be a Commissioner or Justice of the Peace before an examination can be granted.

JOHN STOCKS  
Deputy Minister.

Department of Public Works.  
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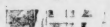
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